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AMEMBASSY BEIRUT IMMEDIATE

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TAGS: CASC

SUBJ: W/W: MISSING AMERICAN CITIZENS

1. BOEING EMPLOYEES MR AND MRS CLARK WHEATON AND MR MELVIN PREEDY DEPARTED BAGHDAD BY PRIVATE CAR 1000 MAR 26 FOR VISIT TO SAMMARRA PLANNING TO RETURN SAME EVENING. AS OF 1630 MAR 27 THEY HAVE NOT BEEN HEARD FROM. USINT HAS MADE INQUIRIES WITH SAMMARRA GUEST HOUSE SAMMARRA POLICE TRAFFIC POLICE HIGHWAY POLICE AND EMERGENCY POLICE ALL OF WHOM STATE THEY HAVE NO INFO ON MISSING PERSONS. FOREIGN MINISTRY HAS BEEN UNCOOPERATIVE AND IRAQI AIRWAYS REFUSED TO ASSIST BOEING REP SAYING THAT HE SHOULD TAKE PROBLEM TO BELGIAN EMBASSY USINT. MOSLEM WEEKEND HAS BEGUN AND IT DIFFICULT TO REACH OFFICIALS BUT CONTINUING TO TRY.

2. DEPT REQUESTED TO PASS ABOVE IMMEDIATELY TO JAMES BLUE OR ROY MERS BOEING SEATTLE.IT SHOULD ASSURE THEM THAT USINT AND BOEING REPS DOING ALL IN THEIR POWER TO LOCATE WHEATONS AND PREEDY.

3. BEIRUT PASS CLIF SMITH BOEING STARCO BLDG.
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